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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents

ATTN: BOX AF

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- [] Small Entity statement is enclosed.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Presen	3	Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	32		34	=	0	×	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
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[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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\$0.00	\$400.00	Extension for response filed within the second month:
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\$0.00	\$1,960.00	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:
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- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$110.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, postdated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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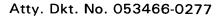
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated June 4, 2002, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a one month Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely. It is believed that no additional fees are due in connection with the filing of this amendment. If this is incorrect, however, the Commissioner is authorized to make appropriate charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 19-0741 to provide exact payment.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121, please substitute for original claim 5, the following rewritten version of the same claim, as amended. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Marked Up Version Showing Changes Made."

Please amend the claims as follows:

(Twice Amended) A purified holypeptide that is encoded by a DNA capable of hybridizing under stringent conditions to a DNA having the nucleotide sequence as